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Chairwoman Kay Granger  
Ranking Member Rosa DeLauro  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307  
U.S. Capitol  
Washington, DC, 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I request \$6,560,000 for a community project for the City of Island Park Water System Consolidation. The intended recipient is the City of Island Park, Idaho located at 3753 US-20 Island Park, Idaho 83429. The funding would be used to consolidate separate drinking water systems in Island Park into one municipally owned system. The project would be a valuable use of taxpayer funds because drinking water quality in Island Park has been a problem for decades, one regulators have struggled with because of the numerous disparate small systems. By combining several of these water systems into a single system owned and operated by the City of Island Park, the patrons will realize a more safe, reliable, and affordable water supply.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 1452 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300j-12.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Mike Simpson". To the right of the signature, the letters "M.C." are printed in a small font.

Mike Simpson  
Member of Congress